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AMATEUR BASEBALL

Manager O'Brien of the South Ends has booked the strong Edgewood baseball team of New Haven for a game at the field, Sunday, July 11. That this is one of the best entries for the local semi-professional season there is no doubt, as the Edgewoods are composed mainly of Yale college players, and also the cracks of the strong Westville team which won the State championship for a number of years. The game will be called at 3:30 o'clock. It is the wish of the local management that the spectators on leaving the field will do so by way of Atlantic street.

The Stratford Reserves accept the challenge of the Hillside Juniors for a game Sunday, July 11, at 2:30 o'clock at Hollister Heights. In mentioning this acceptance they also add that they do not wish the Hillside to crawl. The Juniors in turn say they will play the Reserves, not at Hollister Heights, but at Avon Park, where there is a good field.

TOMMY DOWNEY VISITS BRIDGEPORT FRIENDS

Tommy Downey, crack shortstop for the Cincinnati Reds, was a spectator at the New Haven-Bridgeport game yesterday, and was sore because the Orioles did not come out on top of the heap. Thomas had a day off, his team starting a series today in Brooklyn. He took the chance to come to Bridgeport and visit a number of his friends. Tom has put on weight since the winter sojourn in this city, not the weight that sticks out in spots, but that which is distributed in proportion. He is looking well and says that he is in fine trim. The attack of stomach trouble with which he was bothered during the spring training trip has disappeared. Tom thinks well of Clark Griffith as a leader, one whom the men all like to play for. He also speaks in the highest terms of his team mates, who he says are the best chaps on earth, willing to do anything for you at any time. As regards Cincinnati's chances for the rag-bag, he has his doubts, thinking that the Pittsburgh Pirates have all the other clubs outclassed. In his opinion the Reds will outdistance both the Giants and the Cubs.

Spendthrift Merchant Had Champagne Shampoo

New York, July 8.—Supreme Court Justice Brainerd appointed Dr. Ephraim D. Klotz, 801 E. 14th street, and Sidney B. Bowman yesterday as commissioners, together with a sheriff's jury, to inquire into the sanity of Louis Voelker, a hardware merchant who for many years has been in business at 435 Seventh avenue. On June 16 Justice Guy committed Voelker to Bloomingdale Asylum.

The petitioners are Mrs. Josephine Voelker, wife of the alleged incompetent, and his two daughters, Rose and Emma Denn. All live at 160 West Thirty-fifth street. In their petition they set forth that Voelker has many delusions, among them that he is being poisoned; that he is an officer in the army, and that he is a judge and tells of the important decisions he has handed down.

Mrs. Voelker says that before her husband's commitment he would get a revolver and threaten to kill them all. He would also severely pinch members of his family or persons he met in the street with his fingers or eight-inch pliers, and that he drove customers

from his store with a heavy cane. She also set forth that for the last two years he had squandered his money, having spent \$3,000 in Atlantic City on one trip alone. She said that from a thrifty, economical, intelligent business man, he became a spendthrift, dissolute man, unkempt and disheveled.

Mrs. Voelker says her husband would drink six pints of champagne, a quart of cognac, and ten milk punches in one day. He washed his face and hair daily in champagne and cognac, and put champagne into his food and soup. He imagined he was worth \$5,000,000 and that he owned a plantation in Arkansas covering 388,000 acres.

Mrs. Voelker says her husband owns the four-story tenement house at 422 Seventh avenue, valued at \$150,000, on which he obtained a mortgage of \$50,000 in the last two years; two houses at 180 and 182 West Thirty-fifth street, worth \$75,000; house at 389 Second avenue, worth \$35,000, besides land at Aldene, N. J., and Palisade Park, and the hardware store at 435 Seventh avenue, where he has been in business for twenty-three years, accumulating a fortune with the aid of his wife and daughters.

MINE PROMOTER MITCHELL DISCHARGED TO-DAY

(Special from United Press.)
New York, July 8.—William S. Mitchell, the mining promoter whose operations in Canada attracted much attention both in the United States and Canada, was to-day discharged by United States Commissioner Alexander C. Smith, who could see no cause for holding him on a charge of obtaining \$5,000 under false pretenses from Alex. C. Rbas, a member of the Dominion Parliament.

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